

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Transport Department – Creation of Andhra Pradesh. Road Safety Fund to support various road safety improvement activities in the State with an initial allocation of Rs.10.00 Crores - Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS AND BUILDINGS (Tr.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.36

Dated:08.07.2016

Read:

From the Transport Commissioner, A.P., Hyderabad, Letter
No.953/RSC/2015, dated:24.06.2015 & 07.10.2015

ORDER:

In the letter read above, the Transport Commissioner, AP, Hyderabad has reported that the Supreme Court Committee on Road Safety (CoRS), during the review of the road safety situation in the country, directed that all the States shall create an exclusive Road Safety Fund which shall be utilised for undertaking various measures to improve road safety. He has also stated that during the meeting of the Lead Agency for Road Safety (LARS) held on 30-07-2015, it has been decided to constitute a Road Safety Fund for the State.

2. Government after careful examination hereby create a Fund Account in the name of "Andhra Pradesh Road Safety Fund" with an initial allocation of Rs.10.00 Crores. The Head of Account for the Road Safety Fund is:

"K. Deposits and Advances – (b) Deposits not bearing Interest, 8443 Civil Deposits – MH. 800 – Other Deposits – SH. (32) Andhra Pradesh Road Safety Fund (to be opened)."

3. The Corpus of Rs.10.00 Crores to this fund shall be transferred from out of BE 2016-17 provision of Rs.39.86 Crores under 2041-001-(01)-800/801 – user charges – other expenditure.

4. The operational guidelines for the Andhra Pradesh Road Safety Fund" are as follows:

- a) There will be an Executive Committee of the lead agency for road safety which shall be vested with the powers to disburse the Fund.
- b) The proposals for expenditure on various road safety related works shall be submitted by the departments concerned to the Transport Commissioner who, in turn, shall put up for approval to the Executive Committee of Lead Agency.
- c) The department concerned shall submit a completion report on the expenditure sanctioned by the executive committee to Lead Agency, within 3 months from the date of sanctioning of funds.

For above said purpose Government hereby constitute an Executive committee comprising the following members:

- i. The Chief Secretary to Government
- ii. The Special Chief Secretary, (T, R&B)
- iii. The Special Chief Secretary, (Home)
- iv. The Special Chief Secretary, (Health, Medical & FW)
- v. The Finance Secretary
- vi. The Transport Commissioner.

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5. The activities to be taken up by the "Andhra Pradesh Road Safety Fund" and the items that qualify for sanction from the Road Safety Fund shall include:

- a. Road safety interventions like traffic signals, road markings, traffic parks.
- b. Purchase and maintenance of equipment for electronic monitoring of traffic and detection of offenders.
- c. Purchase and maintenance of equipment for road safety enforcement.
- d. Purchase and maintenance of trauma care equipment.
- e. Conduct of awareness and educational programmes, in schools, colleges and other places on the road.

6. The Fund cannot be used for procurement of new vehicles.

7. The Transport Commissioner, A.P., Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.17023/112/FMU-TR&B/2016, Dt.28.06.2016

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Home Department

The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department.

The Finance Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh

The Transport Commissioner, A.P., Hyderabad

The Home Department

The Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department

The School Education Department

The Higher Education Department

The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad

The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Admn., State Roads, RSW & Buildings

The Chief Engineer (R&B), CRN & Managing Director, A.P.Road Development Corporation.

The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad,

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad

Copy to:

PS to Principal Secretary to Chief Minister

PS to Minister for Finance

PS to Minister for Transport, Roads & Buildings

PS to Special Chief Secretary to Govt., TR&B Deptt.

The Finance (FMU-TR&B) Department

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